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IN THE CLAIMS:

The text of all pending claims, (including withdrawn claims) is set forth below. Cancelled and not entered claims are indicated with claim number and status only. The claims as listed below show added text with <u>underlining</u> and deleted text with <u>strikethrough</u>. The status of each claim is indicated with one of (original), (currently amended), (cancelled), (withdrawn), (new), (previously presented), or (not entered).

Please AMEND claims 36, 39, 41-42, 44-45, 47, and 49 and CANCEL claim 50 in accordance with the following:

1-35. (Cancelled)

36. (Currently Amended) A method for selecting user data transmitted via a telecommunication network, the user data being transmitted in response to a calling subscriber initiating a call to at least one called subscriber, comprising:

sending an invite from the calling subscriber to a called subscriber and at least one other subscriber;

receiving the invite at the called subscriber and the at least one other subscriber sending early media data to the calling subscriber from the called subscriber and the at least one other subscriber, the early media data sent from the called subscriber including reception address data of the called subscriber that includes an IP address of the called subscriber and a port of the called subscriber, the early media data sent from the at least one other subscriber including reception address data of the at least one other subscriber that includes an IP address of the at least one other subscriber and a port of the at least one other subscriber;

using, by the calling subscriber, a reception address the early media data of the at least one-called subscriber contained in a response from the at least one-called subscriber to select user data, which is sent by the at least one-called subscriber along with a transmission address data of the least one-called subscriber that includes an IP address of the called subscriber and a port of the called subscriber, wherein

the reception address data of the at least one called subscriber is identical to the transmission address data of the at least one called subscriber.

37. (Cancelled)

- 38. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein selection is effected by rejection of media stream packets having certain transmission addresses.
- 39. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein selection is made by rejecting user data packets received from one or more transmission addresses, and

the one or more transmission addresses from which user data packets are rejected are transmitted between an SIP terminal signaling part associated with the at least one-called subscriber and an SIP terminal connection part associated with the calling subscriber.

- 40. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 39, wherein each transmission address specifies a source internet protocol (IP) address and a source user datagram protocol (UDP) port, and
- a Session Description Protocol (SDP) parameter defined by the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) MMUSIC Working Group in the "draft-ietf-mmusic-sdp-srcfilter" is used to specify the source IP address and the source UDP port.
- 41. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein the reception address data is derived from a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) provisional response message or a SIP final response message, sent by the at least one-called subscriber to the calling subscriber.
- 42. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein after the calling subscriber is connected to the at least one-called subscriber, the at least one-called subscriber stops transmitting user data and initiation is ended, and clipping at the end of initiation is avoided by rejecting user data received after the at least one-called subscriber is connected.
- 43. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein in the selection of user data, early media user data of a called subscriber is rejected upon receipt of a session initiation protocol (SIP) final response message by the calling subscriber if said early media user data belongs to an early media user data stream other than a media stream for the SIP final response message.

- 44. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein early media user data sent by the at least one called subscriber is selected, and upon receipt of a new early media user data stream through receipt of a message from the called subscriber, presenting the reception address data for the at least one-called subscriber, early media user data from data streams presented prior to the new early media user data stream is rejected.
- 45. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 36, wherein as soon as the calling subscriber sends a message to the called subscriber to terminate a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) dialogue, the calling subscriber rejects early media data received from the at least one-called subscriber having the reception address of said at least one-called subscriber.
- 46. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 37, wherein selection is effected by rejection of media stream packets having certain transmission addresses.
- 47. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 46, wherein selection is made by rejecting user data packets received from one or more transmission addresses, and

the one or more transmission addresses from which user data packets are rejected are transmitted between an SIP terminal signaling part associated with the at-least-one-called subscriber and an SIP terminal connection part associated with the calling subscriber.

- 48. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 47, wherein each transmission address specifies a source internet protocol (IP) address and a source user datagram protocol (UDP) port, and
- a Session Description Protocol (SDP) parameter defined by the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) MMUSIC Working Group in the "draft-ietf-mmusic-sdp-srcfilter" is used to specify the source IP address and the source UDP port.
- 49. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 48, wherein, the reception address data is derived from a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) provisional response message or a SIP final response message, sent by the at least one called subscriber

to the calling subscriber.

50. (Cancelled)